

MOTION BY SUPERVISOR MICHAEL D. ANTONOVICH

SEPTEMBER 8, 2009

It has been determined that the Station Fire, which started off of Angeles Crest Highway (SR 2) about one mile above Angeles Crest Fire Station around 3:30 p.m., Wednesday, August 26, was caused by arson. Two firefighters have lost their lives and eight people have been injured in this major disaster so far which has already burned 148,258 acres (encompassing 232 square miles) and is 42 percent contained as of 6 a.m., Friday. Thousands of lives and property have been threatened and over 4,847 personnel are on the front-lines fighting the fires. The estimated cost of the fire thus far is at \$28,554,000.

The Sheriff's Department is seeking public assistance with information that will aid them in their investigation.

I, THEREFORE, MOVE that the Board of Supervisors offer a reward in the amount of \$50,000 in exchange for information that leads to the arrest and/or conviction of the person(s) responsible for this major disaster.

**Contact Information**

Sheriff's Homicide Bureau  
323/890-5500

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